



RECEIVED  
JUL 23 2003  
TC 1700

41

1711-

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 02860.0676

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Kaori ONO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1711✓  
Application No.: 09/850,167 ) Examiner: Thao T. Tran  
Filed: May 8, 2001 )  
For: CELLULOSE ESTER FILM, )  
OPTICAL FILM, POLARIZING )  
PLATE, OPTICAL )  
COMPENSATION FILM AND )  
LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated April 22, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following remarks and amendments. This Amendment is made in accordance with Revised Amendment Practice Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 (to be effective July 30, 2003). Please amend the application as follows:

FINNEGAN  
HENDERSON  
FARABOW  
GARRETT &  
DUNNER LLP

1300 I Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20005  
202.408.4000  
Fax 202.408.4400  
www.finnegan.com